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The Basket-ball Trip.

Monday of next week the team will start on its eastern trip into the New England States. This trip is the most ambitious yet attempted by a Hamilton team and the character of the teams to be played shows well our reputation among the eastern colleges. Last year we took our first eastern trip, playing Williams, Wesleyan and Trinity. In all ways the trip was a success. We won only the Trinity game, but in basket-ball it seems to be a fact that the visiting team generally loses. This year we took Brown in place of Trinity and added Union to the trip on the way back. This makes a trip that cannot mar our reputation if we do not win a game, because to play four such teams in four days is not often attempted even by the universities.

To attempt to forecast the outcome of this trip is to talk idly. The unexpected may always happen, even in basket-ball. After a long journey we cannot hope to beat Williams when we consider the game her team is playing. Everything considered, we have a very good chance to win from Wesleyan and Brown. It all depends on the stamina of the men and their ability to keep in condition on a trip. Their teams are not much better than ours and on our own floor we could beat them.

We all saw the Union game and remember the rough, aggressive play of their team. To play them in the last game of the trip is unfortunate, but it could not be helped. We know what the team has done and hope that they will repeat the trick in Schenectady. It is unfortunate that Moore will be unable to take the eastern trip. He is a heavy, aggressive man, the kind that is needed on a long trip. This cripples

the team, but the men will play as hard as they know how, and that's all we can expect.

Auburn Seminary Defeated.

Last Friday afternoon Hamilton was an easy victor in basket-ball over Auburn Theological Seminary. The audience was in every way noteworthy. The final score was 55 to 5. In the last half Conklin took Kuolt's place and Bate went in at center in place of Sherwin. Hopkins also got in the game. Every man who played for Hamilton got at least one basket. Evans played the best game for Auburn, throwing three fouls, which with Roosa's lone basket made Auburn's total score of five points.

Dr. Wood's Lecture.

The fourth in a series of lectures by members of the faculty was given Wednesday evening by Prof. Frank H. Wood, Ph. D., on "Constantinople."

Constantinople is situated on the Bosphorus, near the Black Sea. Because of its strategic position it had long been a bone of contention. The city has been captured and recaptured several times. The Persians in the fourth century B. C. captured the old city. The Greeks captured it later. Then the Romans took possession and held it until it was captured by the Turks in the fifteenth century. All these occupations have left their marks somewhere upon the city and many of them may be seen today.

The modern city of Constantinople is divided into several parts. Stamboul, the commercial city, is on the Golden Horn, an arm of the Bosphorus extending about three miles inland and deep enough for the largest sea-going

vessels to ride safely at anchor. Beir-ut, the residence section of the Europeans and rich Turks, lies on higher ground back of Stamboul. There is another section, where the Turks live altogether, on the opposite side of the strait on the site of the old Genoese city of Galata. The section across the Golden Horn is connected with Stamboul by two pontoon bridges.

Over these bridges passes daily the ever changing throng of humanity, the various garbs and colors of the many nationalities in Constantinople. It is said that over one hundred thousand souls cross these bridges each day, but not a new idea once in ten years. As these bridges are pontoons and lie close to the water they cut off navigation during the day. But in the hours of darkness the trading craft and steamers slip in and out of the harbor.

There are about a million, one hundred thousand people in Constantinople. Their make-up is of all nationalities, mostly of southern Europe and Asia. The Turk constitutes about half, the remaining half consisting of Greeks, Armenians, and their kindred races. The Jew is also represented and is the lowest and poorest class of people. The English, French, Germans, Americans and Russians there are in government employ, representing their respective governments in the diplomatic service, or are merchants.

The streets of Constantinople are narrow, ill kept, badly paved and frightfully filthy. The refuse is thrown into the streets and devoured by the dogs which swarm there. There are thousands of these wretched, mangy curs running about, and when injured by accident they are left to die from their injuries, for no Turk will kill them. Beggars are everywhere asking alms, and if it is not given they are

just as happy. Everything is fated with the Turk and might be summed up in the word "Kismet," it is fated. Destiny rules the Turk, and not the Turk destiny. The vehicles in the city are rather antiquated; the horses are better than one would expect.

Everywhere and in every section of Constantinople one sees the minarets of the mosques. The most famous of these is that of Santa Sophia, built by Justinian in the sixth century. His purpose was to outdo Solomon, and in structure the mosque stands today as one of the most remarkable buildings in the world. It is the parent or prototype of every other Mohammedan mosque. Originally built as a Christian temple, when the Turks captured the city in 1453 it was converted into a mosque. Much of the elegant and beautiful mosaic work has been covered up or destroyed by the Mohammedans. The dome of the mosque is built of especially prepared stone and brick, being very light. The dome seems to hang by invisible cords from the heavens above instead of being a solid structure, so light and delicate is its design. It is a veritable masterpiece of architecture and a fitting monument to Justinian.

Among the other public buildings of especial note is the public garden and buildings of the old seraglio. Here where the ancient acropolis of the first Greek city stood, on a peninsula, stands the gardens. The sultan once lived here but has now thrown them open to the public.

One pageant which is typical of the life is the visit of the sultan to the mosque each Friday. He does this to show the people that he has not been murdered by his high officials who would rule in his stead. He goes in a carriage, preceded by his high officials on a run thru the dust and dirt of the street. In the streets are shoemakers, cloth merchants, barbers and lemonade men. Much of their life is spent out of doors and as the people are in no hurry, everything goes well. The ever-changing color and dress of the people, the strange mosques and minarets, the blue waters of the Bosphorus in the background, make a picture which, once seen, is never forgotten.

Such, in brief, is what Constantinople is today, a city much removed from our western ideas and civilization.

Underclassman Dance.

On the Friday evening of Prom. Week an underclassman dance was held at the Alpha Delta Phi Hall. It was a pleasing innovation and eminently successful. The music, furnished by White, was excellent. About forty couples attended. The committee, of which Butler, '09, was chairman, ran the affair in fine style. Mrs. Merwin, Mrs. Bristol, Mrs. Baldwin and Mrs. Barns acted as patronesses.

Freshman Banquet.

The class of 1910, as a fitting close to Junior Week, held their banquet at Baggs Hotel, Utica, Saturday evening. The Sophomores knew nothing of the occasion and while they quietly slept off the effects of three night's dancing, the Freshmen were eating "the best the town afforded." Thanks to the good work of the committee, everything went off without a hitch and at eight o'clock forty-two men were gathered in the dining room. At a small table at the head of the large one were seated the toastmaster and those who were to respond to toasts.

After the many delicious courses had been served the toastmaster, Mr. H. E. Dounce, introduced the following speakers:

The Class, H. D. McAneny

"Do you then bring salt?"

—Aristophanes

Athletics, W. H. Moore

"No pent-up Utica contracts your powers."—Sewall

The Faculty, E. P. Glover

"I dreamt I was Almighty God and sat within the sky."—Heine

The Sophomore, J. C. Baldwin

"Why, what an ass I am!"—Hamlet Radium,

"The time has come," the Walrus said, "to talk of many things."

—Lewis Carroll

Alma Mater, S. A. Sherwin, Jr.

"Dear is thy homestead—glade and glen."

At the conclusion of the toasts "Carissima" was sung.

The menu was as follows:

Blue Points

Olives

Radishes

Creame of Tomato, au Crutons, Bauffle

Salted Almonds

Broiled Blue Fish, Lemon, Butter Sauce

French Fried Potatoes

Chicken Patties a la Renie

Pineapple Fritters, Brandy Sauce

Orange Sherbet Trophies

Roast Duckling, Apple Sauce

Asparagus, Hollandaise,

Browned Potatoes

Waldorf Salad

Vanilla Ice Cream

Assorted Cake

Roquefort Cheese Bent's Crackers

Cafe Noir

The committee consisted of L. E. Leavenworth, chairman, J. C. Baldwin, S. A. Sherwin, H. S. Brasted, C. F. Stube, J. N. McMath, H. D. McAneny, S. C. Ondarcho.

Y. M. C. A.

Altho the Fraternity group system of Bible study proved very successful last term, it was thought wise to abandon Bible study this term and devote all our energies to Missions. Mr. Bates, '95, was at the college two Sundays ago and told of his work among the poor of New York. A class in Modern Missions has been started; it is like a Seminar in that each Sunday a given subject is apportioned among four or five men who report on that topic the next Sunday. The advantages are obvious. The class meets every Sunday after chapel in Silliman Hall. The subject for next Sunday is India, and it promises to be one of the most interesting. Everybody is invited to come to tell what he knows or to ask questions.

Of the 181 Rhodes scholars at Oxford, seventy-nine are from the United States, ninety-one from British colonies and eleven from Germany.

The baseball candidates at Columbia have been called out.

Tufts College has recently received a gift of \$200,000, and Yale one of \$40,000.

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THOSE WHO ATTENDED the address given in chapel Friday morning by O. E. Branch, '73, spent an hour very profitably. Mr. Branch is a most pleasing speaker. We ought to have the privilege of hearing such men oftener. Back on the Hill our views are likely to be too narrow. We need to come in contact with some of the busy, practical men of the more active world. They bring to us new ideas that have a stirring and thrilling influence and serve to remind us that there is a big boiling world outside and that there is a good chance in it for an honest ambitious man to succeed. Introduce more of them to us.

WHENEVER AN ORGANIZATION shows real signs of purpose and life we feel that some mention ought to be made of it by way of commendation and encouragement. The Press Club is doing some good work. It is once more active and gives promise of advertising Hamilton in no mean way and to a considerable degree. Its work is both extensive and intensive. Never before has the club been organized with such careful regard for detail and

thoriness. A systematic division of labor has been made which, if followed out with care and regularity by the members, cannot but bring excellent results. The work done by the club is purely voluntary and is born of a desire to do something for Hamilton. There is no material reward for the ones who are doing this work. The effort is worthy of great praise and the Press Club should stand high in the estimation of the college.

WE HEAR SO MUCH about socialism today and are so attracted by a few of its undoubtedly excellent characteristics that we are in danger of falling into the belief that because it does have these good points we must swallow the entire theory at one mouthful, while if we take time to chew it intellectually we would find many a bitter flavor creeping in. The Freshmen are continually hearing about the wonderful blessings socialism is sure to bring, while the Seniors hear a broader view of the question from the head of the political science department, and learn to realize that this "universal brotherhood of man" utopia, would be possible only in the millenium; that where freedom exists we are bound to have difference in rank, that the condition where all are bound to keep on a level was existent in the old clanship days and can be revived only by a return to such a situation. We would that the positions of the two classes were reversed, not for our own sakes, but because we feel that Seniors are perhaps a little broader minded, a little better able to distinguish between true logic and fallacious reasoning, a little less likely to fall into dangerous pit-holes laid ready for us. We admit frankly we fear for the Freshmen. It is not the object or policy of this paper to attack unwarrantedly or unpremeditatedly any student in college or any member of the faculty. This article is not written on the spur of the moment. The subject has been rankling in the mind of the writer all the term. When a man makes the statement that either his own interpretation of Christ's words and life is true, or else Christ was a fool, then it is time for a protest. It

should be remembered that chapel is compulsory in Hamilton College.

Why can't we have a debate between the two men referred to earlier in this article, which all the college could attend, and hear some of these vitally important questions thrashed out. Men of 1910, before you adopt unquestioningly views set before you just at the beginning of your course, before you upset all your earlier ideals, those which your ancestors have held for centuries, before you take any step that you may bitterly regret later on, think this matter out most carefully yourselves; consult different members of the faculty, talk it over with your minister at home, look at the most brilliant men today and see what they believe, study history and the leading men in it, wait till you have had ethics and Christian evidences under Dr. Stryker, and then we rest assured that you will go forth from Hamilton College not half heretics, but as men who realize that socialism and individualism, brotherhood of man and Christianity, are not mortal foes but are both essential: for a state that is may exist, for a man that he may live.

Theta Delta Chi Reception.

The Theta Delta Chi fraternity gave a formal dance on the Friday evening of Prom. Week. The patronesses were Mrs. Fitch and Mrs. Shepard, of Clinton, and Mrs. Nicholls, of Syracuse. Among the other guests were: Miss Keogh and Miss N. Keogh, of Albany; Miss Lake, of Rome; Miss Kerr, Miss Ross and Miss Bates, of Ilion; Miss Shothafer, Miss Williams and Miss Washburn, of Clinton; Miss Russell, of Utica; Miss Candee, of Syracuse. Nellis, '06, and Goodier, ex-'08, were also present. White, of Utica, furnished the music.

—Last night the Glee and Instrumental Clubs gave a concert in Little Falls. At five o'clock in the afternoon they were guests at an afternoon tea party. After the concert a dance was held. The guarantee on this trip was so small that the whole club could not be taken.

More Commendation.

The Lowville letter to the *Utica Press* of February 13th, contained the following: "The Hamilton College Glee and Instrumental Clubs gave a concert in the Lowville Opera House Saturday evening last, which proved one of the most enjoyable affairs of the kind ever held here. There were 40 men in the two clubs, and among them they evolved an evening of music and merriment which delighted an audience which practically filled the house. The visitors made an exceptionally good impression while here, and the Hamilton men in town are feeling particularly proud of their alma mater's latest production.

The last clause of the notice is especially gratifying. For that, after all, is the purpose of the trip.

The *Lowville Journal and Republican* for February 14th also had the following: "The concert given by the Hamilton Glee and Instrumental Clubs in the Lowville Opera House proved a very enjoyable one for the large audience present. Every number on the program received hearty and spontaneous applause, to which the clubs cheerfully responded, and the entertainment thruout was all that could be expected."

From the *Carthage Republican* of the 14th: "The Hamilton College Glee and Mandolin Clubs gave a concert in the Methodist Church last Friday evening for the benefit of the Y. M. C. A. and certainly made good. The church was well filled with a representative Carthage audience, who heartily endorsed every selection. A college glee club is somewhat of a novelty in musical circles here and the production last Friday evening proved very entertaining. It would be hard to say whether the Glee Club or the Instrumental Club merited the more applause. 'The Baby Parade' by the Instrumental Club and the '1907 Campus Medley' by the Glee Club, proved very delightful. For encores some of the popular musical selections and Hamilton College songs were given. The entertainment was one of the best of the season and the clubs would be given a hearty reception another year."

D. K. E. Reception.

On the Friday evening of last week the Tau Chapter of Delta Kappa Epsilon gave a formal dance. Mrs. Walker, of Franklin Springs, Mrs. G. H. Morgan, of Auburn, and Mrs. G. H. Watrous, of Clinton, acted as patronesses. Among the other guests were: Miss K. B. Burlingame, of Adams, Mass.; Miss H. A. Hildreth, of Herkimer; Miss E. Leonard, of Ithaca; Miss M. R. Stafford and Miss M. L. Morgan, of Auburn; Miss E. B. Millard, of Frankfort; Miss B. L. Jones, of Utica; Miss C. Schurman, of Ithaca; Miss G. R. Coates, of Watertown. Drummond, '02, Hosmer, ex-'06, Hayes, '05, also attended. Westel White, of Utica, furnished music.

Basket-ball Schedule, 1906-07.

Some changes have been recently made in the basket-ball schedule, and the revised schedule follows:

- Dec. 1.—Hamilton 60, Waterville Y. M. C. A. 9, at Clinton.
- Dec. 8.—Hamilton 25, Utica Free Academy 20, at Clinton.
- Jan. 12.—Hamilton 13, Rochester 26, at Rochester.
- Jan. 18.—Hamilton 29, Union 22, at Clinton.
- Jan. 23.—Hamilton 14, Syracuse 54, at Syracuse.
- Jan. 26.—Hamilton 29, Rochester 23, at Clinton.
- Feb. 7.—Hamilton 31, Princeton 27, at Clinton.
- Feb. 11.—Hamilton 28, Syracuse 36, at Clinton.
- Feb. 15.—Hamilton 55, Auburn Theol. Seminary 5, at Clinton.
- Feb. 22.—Colgate at Hamilton.
- Feb. 25.—Williams at Williamstown.
- Feb. 26.—Wesleyan at Middletown.
- Feb. 27.—Brown at Providence.
- Feb. 28.—Union at Schenectady.
- Mar. 4.—Colgate at Clinton.

Advisory Board.

At the last Advisory Board meeting the following recommendation was made: That an amendment to the by-laws of the Athletic Association be adopted to the effect that it be the duty of the assistant manager of a

team to see to the publication of an account of every game played on the Hill, in the morning edition of at least one Utica and one New York paper, on the day following the game.

Following the recommendation of the Advisory Board the Athletic Association selected Rood, '07, and McCarthy, '08, as manager and assistant manager of wrestling.

—On Thursday of next week the Glee and Instrumental Clubs give a concert in Ilion. A good guarantee has been secured and the whole club will probably be taken.

Among the Colleges.

Arrangements have been made for a debate in French between Harvard and Yale. A silver cup will be the trophy for the winner.

The present standing of the teams in the basket-ball league of the universities is: Yale, Columbia, Harvard, Pennsylvania, Cornell and Princeton.

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College Notes.

—Several of last year's track men are already working out in the gym.

—Uncle has re-commenced his swimming classes for the Freshmen.

—Prof. A. P. Saunders accompanied the choir on the violin in chapel Thursday morning.

—The members of the Junior Prom. committee will have a theatre party at Keith's in Utica next Wednesday evening.

—Prof. E. J. Ward gave a lecture Wednesday evening in Utica, at the Westminster Sunday School men's supper.

—The football management has not as yet decided on next season's coach, though there is a large list of applications on hand.

—The standing of the Freshman LIFE competition for the week is as follows: Glover, Titus, McMath, Cross, Engs and Lloyd.

—The Theta Delta Chi delegation of nine men left for New York last Wednesday to attend the annual convention which is being held this week.

—Assistant Manager Williams, '08, had charge of the basket-ball team on the Colgate trip yesterday.

—The Freshman team attended a dance after their game at Vernon. Judson entertained some of the fellows at his home. All returned to College on Friday.

—In the afternoon chapel on Wednesday seven men out of nine broke. This is something of a record for Hamilton. There was a time when a break was almost unheard of.

—Last Monday evening Prof. E. J. Ward gave a dinner to his Junior English History class. The dinner was followed by something in the nature of a Socialistic symposium.

—The Press Club meets every two weeks. Thursday afternoon the meeting was held in the chapel, at which reports of the work were handed in and plans were laid for the future.

—In the near future Dr. Stryker will leave for a trip abroad. He will be gone from the Hill for about six weeks. His Sophomore Bible class will have their final term examination next week.

—On her eastern trip Colgate took a great slump. At Williams she was badly beaten and also at Wesleyan, both of which games she counted on winning. Stowell was not on the trip and his loss was greatly felt.

—The first round of the College Chess Club tournament has not yet been finished, notwithstanding the urgent request made that the games be played as soon as possible in order that the college team may be selected.

—Howard Morgan, '08, is suffering from an attack of blood poisoning which has compelled him to leave college. A letter received from him says that he may not be able to return this term. LIFE wishes him the quickest possible recovery from his sickness.

—Amherst College is closed on account of an epidemic of scarlet fever. Two of the students have died and many others are very seriously ill. Williams has an epidemic of diphtheria. Syracuse and Oberlin will both probably be closed on account of epidemics.

—The following alumni were on the Hill recently: Heacox, Nellis, '06, Hosmer, ex-'06, Hayes, '05, Goodyear, Miller, ex-'08, Drummond, Barns, '02, Gouge, '72, Aron, ex-'09, Kellogg, '87.

—Yesterday Hon. Oliver E. Branch, '73, gave the customary Washington's Birthday address. Mr. Branch is one of the trustees of the college and the father of Branch, ex-'08. His residence is in Manchester, New Hampshire, and among other offices which he has held is the speakership of the New Hampshire House of Representatives.

—At a meeting of the student body of Colgate University the other day, a resolution was adopted in appreciation of the action of the Hamilton Musical Clubs. The concert in Lowville was given for the benefit of Mr. Dean, Colgate, '08, who is very ill at his home in Lowville. After the concert the clubs gave Mr. Dean a serenade which consisted of college songs and Hamilton and Colgate cheers.

—After a sermon preached by him last Sunday, treating exclusively of Socialism, Prof. E. J. Ward made the announcement that it was not certain educational bequests of John D. Rockefeller which had led him to preach it, altho these certainly had stirred him up, but he preached on that topic because some one wrote an unsigned letter telling him not to, which, of course, was reason enough.

Junior-Sophomore Game.

The Sophomores defeated the Juniors at basket-ball Thursday evening. The score at the end of the specified time was a tie, 17-17, necessitating five minutes more of play in which the Sophomores scored 11 points and the Juniors 2. Final score, 28-19.

The line-up follows:

1908.	1909.
Left Forward.	
W. Jones, capt.	Butler.
Right Forward.	
Joralemon.	Conklin, capt.
Center.	
Bate.	Wilson.
Left Guard.	
Henderson.	H. P. Osborn.
Right Guard.	
Weekes.	Kneeland, Hatfield.



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